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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: David E. Wilson
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For: IMPROVED GRAIN DRILL WITH ACCURATE
METERING OF THE RATE OF PLANTING OF SEED
Group: 3671
Examiner: V. Batson

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

October 19, 1999

Sir:

This is in response to the first Office Action of June 28, 1999.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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42. (Amended) A grain drill comprising:

a frame having a plurality of wheels for supporting the grain drill during rolling over a surface of ground to be planted with grain;

a hopper for containing [the seed] grain to be planted in the ground;

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